



# Medical Council of Canada

# **MINUTES**

of the

Ninth Annual Session

HELD IN OTTAWA

MAY THIRTY-FIRST and JUNE FIRST

1921



# MINUTES OF THE NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF CANADA, HELD AT OTTAWA, MAY 31st, — JUNE 1st, 1921.

# MORNING SESSION

May 31st, 1921.

The first session of the ninth annual meeting of the Medical Council of Canada, for 1921, was opened by Dr. MacNeill, the President, at 10.15 a.m.

Dr. Thornton read a report as to the composition of the new Council, as follows:

# Appointed by the Governor in Council.

Sir Thos. Roddick, Dr. Braithwaite, and Dr. Young.

# Appointed by Provincial Medical Councils.

British Columbia	Dr. Walker and Dr. Fraser.
Alberta	Hon. Dr. Brett and Dr. Revell.
Saskatchewan	Dr. Argue and Dr. Irving.
Manitoba	Hon. Dr. Thornton and Dr. Rogers.
Ontario	Dr. Farncombe and Dr. Emmerson.
	Dr. Normand and Dr. Simard.
New Brunswick	Dr. White and Dr. Van Wart.
Nova Scotia	Dr. Mackay and Dr. Macdonald.
Prince Edward Island	Dr. MacNeill and Dr. MacMillan.

#### Universities.

Dr. D. F. Harris
Dr. Dagneau.
Dr. Blackader.
Dr. Harwood.
Dr. MacCallum.
Dr. Connell.
Dr. Hill.
Dr. Prowse.

# Homeopathic Representatives.

Dr. Sugden, Dr. Jarvis, and Dr. Morgan.

It was moved that the report of the Credentials Committee be accepted.—Carried.

The Registrar called the roll and the following members were recorded as present:

Dr. MacNeill, Hon. Dr. Brett, Drs. Argue, Blackader, Braithwaite, Connell, Dagneau, Emmerson, Farncombe, Fraser, Harris, Harwood, Hill, Irving, Jarvis, MacCallum, Macdonald, Mackay, MacMillan, Morgan, Normand, Prowse, Revell, Simard, Sugden, Hon. Dr. Thornton, Van Wart, Walker, Young.

Moved by Hon. Dr. Thornton, seconded by Dr. Connell, "That the President send a message to the Hon. President, Sir Thomas Roddick, expressing regret at his being unable to be present, and best wishes for his improvement."—Carried.

Dr. Powell, the Registrar, read a note from Sir Thomas Roddick, expressing regret that he was unable to attend this meeting of the Council.

The minutes of the second day of the eighth session were read.

Moved by Dr. Young, seconded by Dr. Sugden, "That the minutes of the second day's session be adopted."—Carried.

The President addressed the meeting.

Moved by Dr. Jarvis, "That the Council thank the President, for his well thought out address."

### Report of the Executive Committee.

WHICH MET IN OTTAWA, MAY 30TH. (Read by the Registrar).

The committee met on May 30th., at 2.30.

#### Present:

Dr. MacNeill, Hon. Dr. Brett, Hon. Dr. Thornton, Dr. J. C. Connell, Dr. R. E. Walker, Dr. L. P. Normand.

The Secretary, Dr. Powell, read a letter from Sir Thomas Roddick, saying he was not able to attend the sessions this year.

The Secretary them made a verbal report as to the composition of the council about to convene.

It was decided that a Committee on credentials should be asked to report by the President, before the roll call, when Council meets. The Registrar's report was discussed and another paragraph ordered to be inserted.

The president appointed Drs. Thornton and Walker, a committee, on credentials.

The Committee recommends that steps be taken to insure that due and constant publicity be given in the public and medical press to matters concerning THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF CANADA, and the results of the several examinations.

Recommended that the Registrar take steps to secure from each Medical Faculty in Canada in each year a complete list of registered medical students, and that a circular of information in re THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF CANADA be prepared and a copy mailed to each student so registered.

Recommended that the salary of the Registrar, Dr. R. W. Powell, be \$3,000 per annum, from June 1st, 1921.

That the Council desires to express its deep regret at the death of one of the original members of this Council, Dr. Hugh A. Mac-Callum, of London, Ont., and to place on record its appreciation of the service rendered by him to this Council and to the cause of Medicine in Canada.

That a copy of this resolution with an expression of sympathy, be sent to his widow and family.

The Executive Committee desires to report to Council, that the agreement with the College of Physicians and Surgeons, of British Columbia, to conduct the only qualifying examinations held in the Province has been carried out in a mutually satisfactory manner and would recommend to other provincial Councils the advisability of entering upon a similar relationship.

Moved by Hon. Dr. Brett, "That the report of the Executive Committee be considered clause by clause."—Carried.

Clause (1), Agreed; Clause (2), agreed; Clause (3), agreed.

Dr. Blackader agreed to publish in English, in Journal of the Canadian Medical Association, items of information concerning the Annual meeting, and also concerning the examinations.

Dr. Harwood agreed to publish in French, all news in the L'Union Medical on similar lines to the foregoing.

Clause (3). A special Committee was nominated, by the President, as follows, to carry out the matters concerning publicity of the actions and affairs of the Council:

Drs. Connell, Blackader, Harwood and Morgan.—Agreed.

Clause (4), agreed; Clause (5), agreed; Clause (6), agreed.

Clause (7). Dr. Walker explained the relation between the Medical Council of Canada and the College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia, in regard to the examination for license to practise in British Columbia.

Dr. Revell explained the method by which registration for practice was granted in the Province of Alberta.

Dr. Young explained matters in connection with registration for license in the Province of Saskatchewan.

Clause (7), agreed.

On motion the Executive Committee's report was carried as read.

The report of the Registrar was then read by Dr. Powell.

# Registrar's Report.

June Session, 1921.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS,

### MEDICAL COUNCIL OF CANADA.

Gentlemen,-

As you are aware the last session of Council marked the close of the second term of the Council and to-day inaugurates the new term. While it is true that a large number of former Councillors have been re-appointed, yet a number of new faces will appear to take part in your affairs.

I have to report that the arrangements for a triple centre for the June examinations last year were carried out without a hitch of any kind and it is a great pleasure to me to bear testimony to the faithful and accurate work performed by the two deputies, viz: Dr. F. C. Bell, of Winnipeg, and Dr. A. P. Procter, of Vancouver.

The October examinations took place at Montreal, as usual, and on that occasion we had 37 candidates, three of whom wrote in French.

For the approaching examination on June 14th, with a triple centre again, I am gratified to report that my potential list up to to-day is the largest I have ever had, and while a considerable number have notified me for a variety of reasons that they will be unable to appear, yet, when registration closes, on June 1st, I confidently expect the largest class of candidates we have ever had since our examinations were inaugurated, in 1913.

I have the same thing to say now, as before, viz: that amongst those who are coming up we will have about the same number coming back for supplementals as usual, which to my mind is the best of all indications that the candidates realize the value of registration on the Canada Medical Register.

The audited statement that has been sent to each Councillor shows that during the financial year there were registered 53 men under the ten year clause. For the period since the meeting of Council, on June 1st last year,, until to-day, I have registered 55 men under the ten year clause.

I repeat again to Council that amongst those who have registered since last June, there does not appear the name of even one examiner, even though for four years Council has suggested the propriety or advisability of Examiners of the Council becoming registered on the Canada Medical Register.

In December last, with the assistance of Dr. Connell, we prepared a circular of information for students and recent graduates and it was circulated to all the fourth and fifth year students in the Canadian Medical schools.

This is the second occasion upon which this propaganda was undertaken and I understand it has been of great advantage to the students, and much appreciated.

To the Deputies who have acted with me, I wish to return my very grateful thanks.

To the various Boards of Examiners, I desire to bear testimony to their faithful and arduous work and to state to Council that it is my conviction that they have carried out their duties with a single eye to retain your examinations at a reasonable level of efficiency and to mark registration on the Canada Medical Register by examination as something well worth possessing.

I may be permitted now to hope that my relations with the Councillors will continue on in the same pleasant and agreeable way and that the new Councillors will bear with my shortcomings, as have their colleagues with whom I have been working for nine years.

I beg to close with presenting the statistics of the examinations of last June and also those of the October exams., 1920.

Respectfully submitted,

(Sgd.) R. W. POWELL,

REGISTRAR.

Prope Fordatio there were: Up for the whole Evans.

# STATISTICS OF THE EXAMINATIONS HELD AT TORONTO, WINNIPEG AND VANCOUVER JUNE 15, 1920

Number of Candidates	65	Of the total of 65:	
At Toronto 39		Passed	44
At Vancouver 17			13
At Winnipeg 9		Rejected	8
There were from:		There were from:	
Ontario	26	McGill	30
British Columbia	17		11
Quebec	4	Queen's	11
Manitoba	3	Toronto	
Saskatchewan	3	Manitoba	3
Alberta	3	Western	1
Nova Scotia	3	Johns Hopkins	
New Brunswick	1	Jefferson	1
Newfoundland	2	Rush	1
Great Britain	2	Tufts	1
United States	_	Chicago Coll. P. & S	1
United States	1	Pacific Med. Coll	1
	0.5	Glasgow	1
	65	Edinburgh	1
		M.R.C.S. & L.R.C.P	1
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			65
From McGill	30	From McGill there were:	
Passed 18	00	Up for whole Exam	19
		Up for Supplementals	11
Referred 7		Of those up for the whole:	11
Rejected 5		Passed	8
From Queen's	11	Referred	6
Passed 9			5
Referred 2		Rejected	9
D		Of the 11 up for Supp.:	10
From Toronto	11	Passed	10
Passed9		Referred in Path	1
Referred 1		D D	
Rejected 1		From Toronto there were:	
From Manitoba	3	Up for the whole Exam	11
Passed 3		Passed 9	
From Western	1	Referred in	
Passed 1		Path 1	
From Johns Hopkins	1	Rejected 1	
Passed 1			

From Jefferson 1	From Queen's there were:
Passed 1	Up for whole Exam 7
From Rush 1	Up for Supplementals 4
Referred 1	Of those up for the whole:
From Tuft's 1	Passed 6
Referred 1	Referred, Obstet. and
From Chicago College 1	Med1
Rejected 1	Of those up for Supplem.:
From Pacific Med. Coll 1	Passed3
Rejected 1	Referred in Med.
From Glasgow 1	
Passed 1	The subjects in which the
From Edinburgh 1	referred and rejected can-
Referred 1	didates failed in were:
From M.R.C.S. & L.R.C.P. 1	Pathology, etc. 12
Passed 1	Obstetrics, etc.
	Medicine 10
	Surgery7
	Hygiene
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# STATISTICS OF THE EXAMINATIONS HELD MONTREAL OCTOBER 19th, 1920.

Number of Candidates Of these: Passed	37 23 9 5	
There were from:  McGill  Laval  Queen's  Toronto  Western  Tufts  Univ. of Texas  Coll. of Med. and Surg.  Chicago  Cambridge	25 3 3 1 1 1 1 1	There were from:       9         Ontario       9         Quebec       11         Nova Scotia       3         British Columbia       3         Manitoba       2         Pr. Edward Isle       2         Alberta       1         Saskatchewan       1         Newfoundland       1         England       1         United States       3
From McGill 17	25	From Toronto 1
Referred       7         Rejected       1         From Queen's       2         Passed       2         Referred       1	3	From Western       1         Rejected       1         From Tufts       1         Passed       1
From Laval	3	From Univ. Texas 1 Passed 1
Passed	1	From Coll. of Med. and Surg., Chicago

From McGill there were:		From Toronto there were:
Up for first time	15	Up for supplementals 1
Up for Supplementals	10	Passed 1
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Of those up for first time	15	From Tufts there were:
There were:		Up for supplementals 1
Passed 10		Passed 1
		Lasseu
Referred 4		T
Rejected 1		From Univ. of Texas there were:
		Up for first time 1
Of those up for Supplem	10	Passed 1
There were:		
Passed 7		From Coll. of Med. and Surg.,
Referred 3		Chicago
Ttererred		Chicago 1
50 0 1 1		Rejected 1
From Queen's there were:		
Up for supplementals	3	From Cambridge there were:
Of these there were:		Up for the first time 1
Passed 3		Referred 1
Referred 1		200102100
Ttererred		
From Laval there were:		
	9	/Dl1:
Up for first time	3	The subjects in which the re-
Of these there were:		ferred and rejected men failed
Passed 1		in were:
Rejected2		Hygiene 4
•		Pathol. & Bact. 5
From Western there were:		Surgery 4
	1	
Up for first time	1	
Rejected 1		Medicine 10

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

April 1st, 1919, to March 31st, 1920, and

April 1st, 1920, to March 31st, 1921.

# RECEIPTS.

Registration Fees Candidates' Examination Fees Interest Victory Loan Interest and Exchange		5,875 $825$	00 00 00	\$ 5,300 00 7,825 00 825 00 145 52
Total Received Balance Cash and Bank, 1919-20	<u> </u>	9,432	60	\$14,095 52 8,391 22 \$22,486 74

#### EXPENDITURE.

Advertising Registration, College of Physicians and	<b>\$</b> 30	00	\$ 30 00
Registration, College of Physicians and			
Surgeons, B.C.	*************		150 00
Contingencies	229	30	345 60
Diplomas			550 80
Auditor's Fee			77 50
Counsel Fee			150 00
Printing and Stationery	612		876 46
Expenses, Montreal Exams.	161		105 50
" Toronto Exams		95	
" Toronto, Winnipeg and Van-			
couver exams.	***************************************		548 22
Examiners' Indemnity			4,171 25
Councillors Indemnity			5,002 15
Registrar's Salary			2,500 00
Petty Cash Expenses	253		265 85
Refunds Candidates' Fees.			275 00
Reimbursements Travelling Expenses	599	10	36 00
Total Expenditure	\$12.735	23	<b>\$15</b> ,084 33
Can. Bank of Commerce, Bal. Current			2,578 52
Can. Bank of Commerce, Bal. Savings			4,821 96
Petty Cash on hand			51 93
Cash on hand			
	\$21,126	45	\$22,536 74
Less amount over deposited			50 00
			\$22,486 74

I have examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the Medical Council of Canada for the year ending March 31st, 1921, and certify to the correctness of above statement.

The Dominion of Canada War Bonds, par value \$15,000, are deposited with the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Ottawa, Ont.

The Registrar's bond has been continued in force for one year, from June 23rd, 1920.

GEO. L. BLATCH, F.C.A.,

AUDITOR.

Ottawa, April 7th, 1921.

On motion the report of the Registrar was adopted as read. Dr. Revell gave notice of motion.

Moved by Dr. Jarvis, seconded by Dr. Sugden, in accordance with notice given to the Registrar over a month ago that whereas in re Homeopathic Practitioners, the amended Canada Medical Act, Sec. 14, provides as follows:—

"The Council shall make such regulations as shall secure to Homeopathic Practitioners and to all applicants for registration who desire to be practitioners of the Homeopathic School, rights and privileges in respect of registration by the Council, not less than those now possessed by them under the laws of any province, and under the regulations of the provincial medical council thereof."

AND WHEREAS in the two oldest provinces of the Dominion, Homeopathic applicants for registration are, and have been for years, examined by Examiners of their own School only;

AND WHEREAS, up to the present time the act in respect to such rights and privileges has not been carried out;

I, THEREFORE, give notice that I shall move, in obedience to the explicit requirements of the said Act that paragraph 8 of THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF CANADA regulations be amended to read:

"CANDIDATES who intend to be examined by the Homeopathic Examiners shall signify their intention to the Registrar at least four weeks previous to the commencement of the examination.

Homeopathic students are to be examined by examiners approved by a majority of the Homeopathic Members of the Council."

Moved that Dr. Jarvis' motion be referred to the Rules and Regulations Committee.

After prolonged discussion, in which a number of the members took part, Dr. Jarvis' motion was lost.

The President appointed the following nominating Committee: Drs. Walker, Dagneau, Braithwaite, MacCallum, and Van Wart.

1 p.m.—Adjournment.

### 3 p.m., Afternoon Session.

Dr. Walker presented the report of the Nominating Committee, as follows:

#### REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

Hon. President.

SIR T. G. RODDICK.

President:

THE HON. R. G. BRETT, Edmonton.

Vice-President:

DR. L. P. NORMAND, Three Rivers.

Registrar:

DR. R. W. POWELL, Ottawa.

General Counsel:

F. H. CHRYSLER, K.C., Ottawa.

Auditor:

GEO. L. BLATCH, F.C.A., Ottawa.

Bankers:

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

#### COMMITTEES.

### **Executive Committee:**

The Honorary President,

The President,

The Vice-President,

Dr. A. MacNeill.

Hon. Dr. R. S. Thornton.

Dr. W. W. White.

Dr. J. C. Connell.

Dr. R. E. Walker.

### **Educational Committee:**

Dr. D. F. Harris.

Dr. R. E. Walker.

Dr. A. W. Argue.

Dr. W. Rogers.

Dr. A. T. Emmerson.

Dr. A. Simard.

Dr. G. C. Van Wart.

Dr. W. J. MacMillan.

Dr. J. MacCallum.

Dr. P. C. Dagneau.

Dr. A. D. Blackader.

Dr. L. de L. Harwood.

Dr. J. C. Connell.

Dr. W. H. Hill.

Dr. S. W. Prowse. Dr. C. E. Sugden.

Dr. E. A. Braithwaite.

Dr. W. W. White.

Dr. E. M. Morgan.

#### Finance Committee:

Dr. A. MacG. Young.

Dr. T. S. Farncombe.

Dr. G. C. Van Wart.

### Discipline Committee:

Dr. A. MacNeill. Dr. J. Irving.

Dr. E. M. Morgan. Dr. A. Simard.

### Rules and Regulations Committee:

Hon. Dr. R. G. Brett. Dr. C. E. Jarvis. Dr. A. T. Emmerson. Dr. T. H. Macdonald. Dr. A. Simard. Dr. R. L. Fraser. Dr. W. Rogers. Dr. N. E. Mackay.

#### **Educational Standards:**

Dr. J. C. Connell. Dr. P. C. Dagneau. Dr. S. W. Prowse.

Dr. A. D. Blackader. Dr. J. McCallum. Dr. D. G. Revell.

### Special Committee on Examination for License.

Dr. J. C. Connell. Dr. A. D. Blackader. Dr. J. MacCallum. Dr. L. de L. Harwood. Dr. D. G. Revell. Dr. W. H. Hill. Dr. S. W. Prowse. Dr. D. F. Harris.

On motion the report of the Nominating Committee was unanimously agreed.

Dr. Connell read his report on the Medical Education in the United States and referred to the visit that he made to Chicago.

with the Registrar, in March, 1921.

Moved by Dr. Blackader, seconded by Dr. Harris, "That the report just received and read by Dr. Connell of the result of his trip to Chicago, with the Registrar, be received, and that the thanks of the Council be tendered to Dr. Connell for the care that he had taken in preparing this report."—Carried.

Dr. Revell moved as follows, seconded by Dr. Hill, "That a continued effort be made to increase the number of licentiates of the Medical Council of Canada and to further this effort that the Finance Committee be asked to bring in a special report as to the

best means of doing so."

Dr. Revell's motion is withdrawn and the matter adverted to in his motion is to be submitted to the special committee on Examination for license.

(Close of first day's session, at 5 p.m.)

## MORNING SESSION

#### Second Day, June 1st, 1921.

The President opened the morning session of the second day, June 1st, at 9.30 a.m.

The Registrar called the roll and the following members were recorded as present:

Dr. MacNeill, Hon. Dr. Brett, Drs. Argue, Blackader, Connell, Dagneau, Emmerson, Farncomb, Fraser, Harris, Harwood, Hill, Irving, Jarvis, MacCallum, Macdonald, Mackay, MacMillan, Morgan, Normand, Proswe, Revell, Simard, Sugden, Van Wart, Walker, Young, Braithwaite.

The minutes of the previous day's session were read by the Registrar.

Moved by Dr. Sugden, seconded by Dr. Blackader, "That the minutes of the first day's meeting be adopted."—Carried.

Dr. Harris then read the report of the Education Committee, as follows:

#### Report of the Education Committee.

Dr. D. F. Harris in the Chair.

RESOLVED: "That an examination be held in Montreal and Halifax, on the third Tuesday, in October, viz: October 18th, 1921. Registration to close on October 4th."

RESOLVED: "That an examination be held at Toronto, Winnipeg, and Vancouver, on the second Tuesday, in June, viz: June 13th, 1922, with registration to close on May 31st."

It was moved and seconded, "That Dr. R. Ferguson be appointed as Chairman of the Main Board of Examiners for the June examinations, 1922, and Dr. A. Primrose as alternative."—Carried.

### Board of Examiners for Montreal and Halifax.

#### SURGERY.

Dr. J. Alec. Hutchison, Montreal. Dr. O. F. Mercier, Montreal. Dr. John Stewart, Halifax. Dr. A. Marois, Que.

#### MEDICINE.

Dr. W. F. Hamilton, Montreal. Dr. S. Skinner, St. John. Dr. E. P. Benoit, Montreal. Dr. A. Rousseau, Quebec.

## OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY.

Dr. W. W. Chipman, Montreal. Dr. C. Morton, Halifax.

Dr. S. Grondin, Quebec. Dr. A. Ethier, Montreal.

#### HYGIENE.

Dr. T. Starkey, Montreal. Dr. W. H. Hattie, Halifax. Dr. C. N. Valin, Montreal. Dr. R. Fortier, Quebec.

### PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY.

Dr. A. G. Nicholls, Halifax. Dr. L. J. Rhea, Montreal.

Dr. E. Latreille, Montreal. Dr. A. Vallee, Quebec.

#### HOMEOPATHY EXAMINERS.

Dr. A. R. Griffith, Montreal.

Dr. A. D. Patton, Montreal.

# BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR JUNE, 1922. Main Board.

# HYGIENE AND STATE MEDICINE:

Dr. Fred. Adams, Windsor.

Dr. A. R. B. Williamson, Kingston.

# PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY:

Dr. H. K. Detweiler, Toronto.

Dr. C. Laidlaw, Ottawa.

# MEDICINE (Inc. Therapeutics):

Dr. E. C. D. MacCallum, Kingston.

Dr. J. A. MacGregor, London.

#### SURGERY:

Dr. A. Primrose, Toronto.

Dr. P. Stuart, Guelph.

### OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY:

Dr. R. Ferguson, London.

Dr. B. P. Watson, Toronto.

#### HOMEOPATHY:

Dr. G. L. Husband, Hamilton. Dr. W. A. McFall, Toronto.

# LOCAL BOARDS FOR ORALS AND CLINICS.

TORONTO.

WINNIPEG.

VANCOUVER.

#### HYGIENE:

Dr. R. Defries. Dr. J. G. Fitzgerald. Dr. A. J. Douglas.
Dr. Gordon Bell.

Dr. F. Underhill. Dr. H. E. Young.

#### MEDICINE (INCL. THERAPEUTICS):

Dr. D. Graham.

Dr. Edw. Montgomery.

Dr. B. D. Gillies.

Dr. J. Oille.

Dr. C. Hunter.

Dr. J. M. Pearson.

#### PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY.

Dr. J. J. Mackenzie.

Dr. W. Boyd.

Dr. R. H. Mullin.

Dr. J. Miller.

Dr. S. J. Pierce.

Dr. W. P. Walker.

#### OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY.

Dr. F. A. Cleland.

Dr. O. B. Bjornson.

Dr. C. Covernton.

Dr. W. P. Tew.

Dr. D. S. Mackay.

Dr. T. B. Green.

#### SURGERY:

Dr. G. E. Wilson. Dr. L. J. Austin. Dr. J. E. Lehmann. Dr. A. Croll.

Dr. P. McLennan. Dr. H. Ridewood.

The report of the Education Committee as read, was carried.

Dr. Young read the report of the Finance Committee, as follows:

#### REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, JUNE, 1921.

Your Committee on Finance begs to report as follows:

1. Submitted herewith is the auditors report for the year ending March 31st, 1921. We have looked carefully into the expenditures incurred during the year, and vouchers covering the same, and find them to be correct and in order with the exception that there does not appear to be any authorization for the expenses incurred by Dr. Connell and the Registrar, while attending a meeting of Medical men, in Chicago, the amounts being respectively, Dr.

Connell, \$125.00; Dr. Powell, \$128.60. Will the Council please deal with this matter by special resolution. It is recommended that in future such expenditures be not incurred unless specially authorized by Council, or in the interval, by the Executive Committee.

2. We have received the accounts presented by members of the Council, in connection with their attendance at this meeting, amounting to \$5,997.50, and recommend that same be passed for payment.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. A. MacG. YOUNG,

CHAIRMAN.

Report of the Finance Committee.—Carried.

Dr. Young moved, "That the accounts of Dr. Connell and Dr. Powell, be paid."—Carried.

Moved by Dr. MacMillan, "That this Council authorize the Executive to send representatives to the meeting of Congress next year."—Carried.

Moved by Dr. Van Wart, seconded by Dr. Jarvis, "That the Registrar be given authority for the re-issue of the book of Rules and Regulations, a copy of same to be sent to each member of the Council."—Carried.

Moved by Dr. Young, seconded by Dr. Mackay, "That while recognizing that the Medical Council of Canada has no right to demand any requirements as to preliminary education, that this matter be referred to the Committee on Educational Standards, with the object of enquiring into the requirements of preliminary Education of the various Provincial Councils and Universities and bring in a report to the next meeting of this Council."—Carried.

Moved by Dr. Sugden, seconded by Dr. Harris, "That the thanks of the Council be tendered to:

The University of Toronto,
The University of McGill,
Medical Department of University of Manitoba,
University of British Columbia,
The Royal Victoria Hospital,
The Montreal General Hospital,
The Notre Dame Hospital,

The Toronto General Hospital, The Winnipeg General Hospital, The Vancouver General Hospital, The Grand Trunk Railway Company,

for privileges accorded to the Council in conducting the examinations and for holding the Annual Session of Council."—Carried.

Moved by Dr. Sugden, seconded by Dr. MacMillan, "That the next annual Council meeting be on the 30th, May, 1922, at Ottawa." —Carried Unanimously.

Dr. MacNeill, the retiring president, thanked the Council for its attendance at the session and for the prompt manner in which they assisted him to conduct the business of Council.

He then inducted the incoming President, Hon. Dr. Brett, to the Chair.

The new President expressed his appreciation of the signal compliment paid to him, which he realized was the highest honour in the gift of the profession.

The session then closed with the singing of the National Anthem.



